

02-6510

6 September 1962

MEMORANDUM FOR: Deputy Chief of Staff, United States Army

SUBJECT: Assignment of Brigadier General [ ]  
[ ] for Duty with the Central Intelligence Agency

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1. Confirming my telephone conversation late yesterday with Lt. Colonel James J. Ursano, I wish to inform you of our acceptance of General [ ] for assignment to the Agency as Chief, [ ]

2. General [ ] according to your memorandum of 27 August 1962, was approved by the Chief of Staff for nomination for this assignment to the Agency on a reimbursable basis.

Marshall S. Carter  
Lieutenant General, USA  
Acting Director

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DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY

OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY CHIEF OF STAFF FOR PERSONNEL  
WASHINGTON 25, D.C.

62-6250

27 August 1962

MEMORANDUM FOR: Acting Director, Central Intelligence Agency

SUBJECT: Assignment of Army General Officer to CIA

Reference is made to your memorandum of 24 August 1962 requesting the assignment of Brigadier General [ ] to the Central Intelligence Agency.

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I regret that General [ ] is not available for this assignment. However, recognizing the significance of the requirement, the Department of the Army desires to cooperate fully. Accordingly, the Chief of Staff has approved Brigadier General [ ] for nomination for assignment to CIA on a reimbursable basis.

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General [ ] is eminently qualified for the position of Chief, [ ] and is available for assignment in October 1962. He has served in a variety of responsible command and staff positions, including twenty-two months as the US Member, Intelligence Committee, Office of the US Representative, Standing Group NATO. A career resume of General [ ] recent service is attached for your information.

Early acknowledgment of acceptance of General [ ] will be appreciated.

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R. L. VITTRUP  
Lieutenant General, GS  
Deputy Chief of Staff  
for Personnel

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24 August 1962

**MEMORANDUM FOR: Deputy Chief of Staff, United States Army**

**SUBJECT : Assignment of Brigadier General [ ]**  
**[ ] for Duty with the Central**  
**Intelligence Agency**

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1. Attached is a memorandum addressed to me from my Deputy Director (Plans) requesting the assignment of Brigadier General [ ] to the Central Intelligence Agency for duty as Chief, [ ]. I believe the referenced memorandum is self-explanatory.

2. It is requested that favorable action be taken on this request.

**SIGNED**

**Marshall S. Carter**  
**Lieutenant General, USA**  
**Acting Director**

Attachment

(Orig ER 62-5620)

MSC:blp (24 Aug 62)

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MEMORANDUM FOR: DDC. - file copy

General Carter added following handwritten note to Colonel Ursano:

"This is SECRET because EVERYTHING is SECRET over here -- how's it over there? Once we are "witting," we can "surface" this matter and give it "thrust" without "escalation" of classification -- or whatever the hell!!

/s/ MSC

24 AUG 1962

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(DATE)

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MEMORANDUM FOR:

*Tom Karanassian*  
*says that*   
*is persona grata to Dick*  
*Helms also. He asked*  
*whether you wished to*  
*write Gen. Wittneup —*  
*or should they?* \_\_\_\_\_  
(DATE)

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